

Appointment of dispensary commissioners.

said county is hereby constituted to be known as the county board of control. Said board of control shall appoint from the citizens of said county three persons believed by said board of control not to be addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors, who shall be known as the board of dispensary commissioners. Said board of commissioners shall hold their office for the term of two years and until their successors are appointed, and shall be subject to removal for cause by said board of control. Said board of control shall fill all vacancies in said board of commissioners, caused by death, resignation or removal.

Establishment of dispensary.

SEC. 3. Said dispensary commissioners shall establish and maintain at some point on one of the principal business streets in said town of Whiteville a dispensary for the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors. Said commissioners shall purchase a stock of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors and shall at all times keep such a stock of such liquors in said dispensary as may be necessary to supply the demand thereof. Said commissioners shall cause the

Liquors shall be tested.

liquors, except malt liquors purchased by them in cases or bottles, so purchased to be tested by a competent chemist from time to time, and shall offer for sale in said dispensary no liquors which

Proviso.

are not pure: *Provided*, that malt liquors purchased by said commissioners shall be only of well-established brands, with reputation for purity. Said commissioners shall cause all spirituous and

Packages shall be sealed.

vinous liquors offered for sale in said dispensary to be put into packages of not less than one half pint and not more than four gallons, and cause the same to be securely sealed before the same are placed in said dispensary. If any spirituous or vinous liquors are after purchase by said commissioners condemned by the chemist making the analysis as impure and unwholesome, all

Impure liquors may be condemned.

liquors of the same kind and shipment as that so tested shall be condemned and none of it shall be sold by said dispensary, and payment therefor shall be refused to the person, firm or corporation from whom said liquors were purchased. Said commissioners shall elect from the citizens of said county one or more per-

Election of manager.

sons, to be known as the manager or managers of said dispensary, who shall have charge and control of said dispensary under the supervision of the said commissioners, and shall be elected for such term as said commissioners shall deem best, and shall be removed by them for such cause as shall be deemed by said commissioners sufficient. The said manager or managers shall, before entering

Managers shall make oath.

upon the duties of said office, state on oath his or their name or names, place or places of residence, in what business engaged and in what business he or they has or have been engaged for two years prior to said election; that he or they is or are a resident or residents of the county aforesaid; that he or they has or have never been adjudged guilty of violating the law in relation to in-